



SILVER GROVE SCHOOL

Practice Set [A] (2025-26)

CLASS- VII

SUBJECT: ENGLISH II

Time: 2.00 Hrs

M.M.:50M

Name: _____

Roll No.: _____

Instructions:

1. Read all the questions attentively.
2. The paper has three sections.
3. The intended marks for each question are given in brackets [].

SECTION-A

(Multiple Choice Questions)

Question 1

Choose the correct answers to the questions from the given options:

[10M]

- i. The Brook compares its journey to a creature that never...
 - a. Sleeps
 - b. Stops
 - c. Sings
 - d. Sleeps and rests
- ii. Why did Jimmy decided to change his life?
 - a. He got tired of crime
 - b. He wanted money honestly
 - c. He fell in love
 - d. He got injured
- iii. What business did Jimmy start after reforming?
 - a. Shoe store
 - b. Bakery
 - c. Bookshop
 - d. Bank
- iv. What test came that proved Jimmy had truly changed?
 - a. A bank robbery
 - b. A fire in a bank
 - c. May's birthday
 - e. Tragic comedy

d. A marriage proposal

v. The curtains were enormous and made of ?
a. Satin
b. Cotton
c. Velvet
d. Jute

vi. The host of the house were unaware that the bed was
a. Broken
b. Uncomfortable
c. Too narrow
d. Too costly

vii. On seeing her for the first time, Jimmy asks a boy whether the young lady was
a. Annabelle Frank
b. Polly Simpson
c. Alex Jordan
d. Lucy forex

viii. “I chatter over stony ways” means the brook
a. Talks to people
b. Flows noisily over rocks
c. Is silent
d. Is shallow

Which of the following best describes the mood of the poem the brook?

Angry
Cheerful and lively
Sad
Boring

ix. Which of these was NOT expected by the narrator
a. To receive a cold shower unexpectedly
b. To be smothered by a man unintentionally
c. An uncomfortable bed

d. The dinner

SECTION- B
(Extract Based Questions)

Question 2

Read the extract and answer the questions that follow:

[3M]

i. I murmur under.....
In brambly wildernesses;

- Fill in the blanks.
- Where is the brook passing through now?
- What is the auditory word used in the lines above?

OR

ii. The Curies believed that the radiation properties can be put to good use in the medical field.....

- List the use of radiation in the medical field.
- Which was element named after the word ‘radiation’?

Question 3

Read the extract and answer the questions that follow:

[3M]

i. Think over my advice, Valentine.

- Who says this line?
- What was the advice?
- Did Valentine follow the advice?

OR

ii. “Yes, I know, I need to take you for a walk”.

- Who is Gerald referring to here?
- Why does Gerald need to take him out for a walk?

Question 4

Read the extract and answer the questions that follow:

[3M]

i. *I must have been in a deep sleep for a long time, but all of sudden....*

- What happened all of sudden?
- Was he in a deep sleep? How do you know?
- At what time of the day did the Incident mentioned above happen?

OR

ii. He wished us luck that our mission will succeed. I am afraid that our secret is out.

- a. Whom do the words 'he' and 'us' refer to?
- b. What is the 'secrets' talked about here?
- c. What makes the speaker think that their 'secret' is out?

SECTION- C (Recall & Analysis)

Question 5

Write the meaning and frame the sentence of the words given below:

[6M]

i. Princely
iv. Mirth

ii. Embraced
v. Crush

iii. Howl
vi. Fend

Question 6

State whether the following statements are true or false:

[5M]

- i. The friends revealed to the narrator that they had a prank in store for him.
- ii. The first person that Luke and Myla meet at Corfu is Mrs. Durrell.
- iii. The narrator could sleep only for an hour.
- iv. The valet had purposefully poured over hot water on the narrator as a joke.
- v. Luke wants to organize an insect exhibition.

Question 7

Fill in the blanks given below:

[5M]

- i. There was a _____ opposite to Spencer's shoe store.
- ii. Gerald Durrell's house is in _____.
- iii. The suitcase that Jimmy carried actually contained _____.
- iv. When the guard came to Jimmy that morning, he was _____.
- v. The cry for help that Myla and Gerald hear is that o _____.

Question 8

Answer *any six* of the following questions in 10-20 words each:

[6M]

- i. What circumstances forced Mary to become a governess?
- ii. Why May's mother was wailing?
- iii. How has the poet drawn parallelism between the journey of the brook?
- iv. Why did Ben Price turn away and leave the place, instead of arresting Jimmy?
- v. Why does Myla think they're in Gerald Durrell's house?
- vi. Did the narrator's friend have any joke planned for him, as he feared?
- vii. How did the frog justify himself when the nightingale died?

Question 9

Answer *any three* of the following questions in 40-60 words each:

[6M]

- i. What is Ides of March and what was the prediction?
- ii. How does the poem offer a visual treat of sounds and sight? Quote examples from the text.
- iii. With that act, Ralph D Spencer became Jimmy Valentine. Which ‘act’ is referred to here?
- iv. *For men may come and men may go/ But I go on forever.* Elaborate the lines with respect to the poem, “ The Brook”.

Question 10

Analyze and answer the questions given below:

[3M]

- i. Write the summary of the poem A song from the suds
- ii. Write the short summary of the poem The Brook.